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- 1. K-Love radio provides all residents of the Denver Metro area; myself included, with a much-needed alternative to mainstream, commercial radio. It's programming is positive, upbeat and encouraging. It provides a listening choice, which cannot or perhaps will not be met by any other radio station in the Denver market.
- 2. If K-Love radio were displaced by a "Low Power FM" station, I fear that no other station will provide the type of programming that K-Love is known for. This will create a serious void in my life as well the lives of many people that I know. K-Love listeners look forward to the positive influence the programming plays on our family's lives. We then become a marginalized, displaced, disgruntled, and un-represented demographic in the market.
- 3. The service provided by K-Love is in the public interest because it does represent a choice in the listening market. Just as National Public Radio provides a fantastic alternative to main stream radio, K-Love provides upbeat, positive music, news, weather and commentary to not only those of us who financially support the station but to anybody who is looking for an alternative to those stations who's programming does not suit them. At the end of the day, K-Love pays for itself with no help from government sources and provides alternatives to the market, which is actually competition; and in a free market society, we all know that competition is what makes our economy strong.